

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Title: HETEROCYCLIC AMIDES AND THEIR USE TREATING THROMBOEMBOLIC

DISEASES AND TUMORS

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 19, 2006, Applicants hereby elect, with traverse, an alternate embodiment outside of the exemplary groups proposed by the Office Action. Applicants' elected invention encompasses the subject matter of claims 1–15 and 17–20, drawn to compounds of Formula I and/or pharmaceutically usable derivatives, solvates, and stereoisomers thereof, wherein X is NR³, R¹ is A which is an unbranched or branched alkyl having 1-10 C atoms, Y is Ar-diyl, D is a thienyl ring which is mono- or disubstituted by Hal, T is morpholin-4-yl which is monosubstituted by carbonyl oxygen (=O), and W is as defined.

In order to comply with the election of species requirement, Applicants further elect (R)-2-[3-(5-chlorothiophen-2-yl)ureido]-N-[4-(3-oxomorpholin-4-yl)-phenyl-]valeramide, as recited in claim 15, and which is the subject matter of Example 1 of the instant application. See, page 27, lines 3–4 of the instant specification.

Withdrawal of this restriction requirement is respectfully requested. The claims in the instant application involve related subject matter, for example, compounds of Formula I, as recited in Applicants' elected Group. A search of all the claims would comprise overlapping subject matter, and it would not be an undue burden on the Examiner to carry out a search. "If search and examination of an entire application can be made without

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